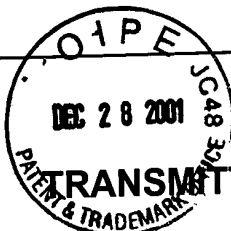


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☒ After Final
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☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
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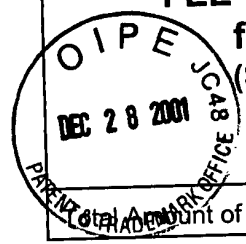
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-2135 in the name of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck

☒ Charge any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☒ Payment Enclosed:
 - ☒ Check
 - ☐ Credit Card

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
201	370	Utility filing fee	[]
206	165	Design Filing Fee	[]
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208	370	Reissue Filing Fee	[]
214	80	Provisional Filing Fee	[]

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2. CLAIMS

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee \$	Fee Paid
[] - 20** = [] x		\$ 9 = []	
Independent Claims [] - 3** = [] x		42 = []	
Multiple Dependent Claims +		140 = []	

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[]
227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	[]
139	130	Non-English specification	[]
147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[]
112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[]
113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[]
215	55	Extension for reply within first month	[55.00]
216	200	Extension for reply within second month	[]
217	460	Extension for reply within third month	[]
218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	[]
228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	[]
219	160	Notice of Appeal	[]
220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[]
221	150	Request for Oral Hearing	[]
138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	[]
240	55	Petition to revive -unavoidable	[]
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122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	[]
123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	[]
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 28 August 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1 as found on the following page.

Marked-up copies of the original text of the amended specification and claims are attached to this amendment. Material inserted is indicated by underlining and material deleted is indicated by brackets.